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Reference ID	Created	Released	Classification	Origin
10DHAKA27	2010-01-10 09:16	2011-08-30 01:44	CONFIDENTIAL	Embassy Dhaka

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TAGS: PREL PGOV PINR ETRD PTER KDEM BG IN
SUBJECT: BANGLADESH'S PRIME MINISTER PREPARES FOR ""TRANSFORMATIONAL"" VISIT TO INDIA
Classified By: Ambassador James F. Moriarty. Reasons 1.4 (B) and (D)
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SUMMARY
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1. (C) Bangladeshi Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina Wazed will arrive in New Delhi January 10 to begin her most important foreign visit since ass
PM's Office Finalizes Preparations for Hasina's India Visit
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2. (C) Dr. Gowher Rizvi, Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina's Foreign Affairs Advisor, met with the Ambassador early January 10 and reported that f
Focus on Implementing Old Agreements
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3. (C) While the Bangladeshi press has focused on new, relatively minor, agreements (extradition, prisoner transfer, electricity sharing, et
And Bilateral and Regional Trade
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4. (C) Rizvi saw enormous opportunities for enhanced trade, particularly with India's northeastern states. He said the agreement would also al
Maritime Boundary and Teesta Water Sharing Remain Problematic
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5. (C) Rizvi said the one bilateral issue that had proved most complicated during the discussions was demarcation of the Indo-Bangladesh mari
DHAKA 00000027 002 OF 002 Ambassador the Indians had been disappointed when Bangladesh unilaterally referred the maritime boundary dispute tc
PM Neglects Need for Communications Strategy
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6. (C) Rizvi told the Ambassador he thought the PM was making a mistake by delaying her return to Dhaka until January 13, following a one-day
Comment
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7. (C) One of the Awami League's priorities since taking office has been to improve relations with India. The February 2009 Bangladesh Rifle
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